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In re Application of:

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Application No.: 10/073,160

Filed: February 13, 2002

For: ACYLATED INDANYL AMINES AND  
THEIR USE AS PHARMACEUTICALS

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

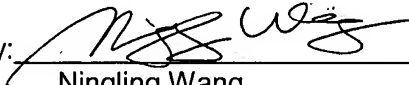
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